

<b>COMBINED AMENDMENT &amp; PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)</b>					Docket No. 99-030																																					
In Re Application Of: <b>PACKES, JR., et al.</b>																																										
Serial No. 09/409,041		Filing Date September 29, 1999		Examiner Michael A. Cuff		Group Art Unit 2167																																				
Invention: <b>SYSTEMS AND METHODS TO PROVIDE A PRODUCT TO A CUSTOMER BEFORE A FINAL TRANSACTION TERM VALUE IS ESTABLISHED</b>																																										
<p align="center"><u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>January 31, 2002</u> in the above-identified application.</p> <p align="center"><i>Date</i></p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> One month      <input type="checkbox"/> Two months      <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months      <input type="checkbox"/> Four months      <input type="checkbox"/> Five months </p> <p> from: <u>April 30, 2002</u>      until: <u>July 31, 2002</u> </p> <p align="center"><i>Date</i>      <i>Date</i></p> <p>A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is enclosed.  <input type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application. </p> <p>The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:</p>																																										
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